

The Daily Courant.

Friday, February 14. 1707.

London, February 14.

Last Night arriv'd a Mail from Ostend.

Rome, January 29.

THIS 27th Instant the Consistorial Congregation appointed to re-examine the Affair of the double Election to the Bishopric of Munster, met; but came to no Resolution, because the Bishop of Osnabrug's Party moving for Time to give in their Pretensions in Writing; were allow'd Time till the 11th of February.

Venice, Feb. 4. They write from Guastalla, that some French Deserters who were come thither from Mantua had reported, that the 17th of last Month 300 Prussian Horse and 300 Grenadiers had pass'd the Oglio near Marcaria, and put to the Sword 50 French whom they found in an Hospital; that marching from thence towards Castellucio, they made themselves Masters of the Bridge of Rochetta which was guarded by 500 French with 2 Field-Pieces, to cover the Seraglio; that in the Beginning of the Action the Grenadiers were repuls'd, but the Horse dismounting broke into the Intrenchment, kill'd 150 and took the rest Prisoners, with no more Loss on the side of the Prussians then of 30 kill'd or wounded; that afterwards 150 of the said Horse made an Excursion to Corratone within 3 Miles of Mantua, plunder'd several Country-Seats, and carried off with their Prisoners 100 Head of large Cattle, to their Head Quarters at San Martino de Bozzolo: That on the other Hand it was reported in Mantua the 18th, that the strong Garrison the French have in Gazolo, for securing the lower Oglio, had defeated a Party of 300 German Horse who were foraging not far from Mantua; and that Forrage is very scarce in Mantua. Letters from Modena of the 22^d say, that the 18th the Governour of that Castle, had a Parley with the Imperial Generals Weltz and Langalerie; that this Parley lasting 2 Hours, and the Governour being return'd into the Castle, an Express was immediately dispatch'd to the Duke of Modena at Bologna, on what Errant is not known. The Batteries against the Castle of Modena being got ready the 20th past, viz. one of 8 Guns plac'd on the Bulwark of Barco, the 2d of 12 Guns on the Bulwark of St. Franciscus, and the 3d of the like Number of Guns without the Walls of the City, began to fire upon the Castle; that the Governour's Quarter was ruin'd the first Night; he sent out a Drum the 21st, to signify to the foresaid Generals that if they did not remove their Batteries out of the City he would fire upon the Houses; but Answer was return'd him, the French Officers should look to their own Persons then: The 23^d 3 Deserters reported, that the Garrison of the Castle were in great Want of Wood; that the said Garrison consisted of but 500 Men; and that they had but little Powder.

Zurich, Feb. 13. Letters from Milan of the 5th Instant tell us, that the Cessation of Arms between that Town and Castle ending the 2d, the Governour

of the latter demanded Contributions of the Town the 4th, threatening if refus'd to fire on it; that after he had made some Difficulties to treat with P. Eugene as Governour of the State of Milan, it was at last agreed to exchange Hostages while the Treaty should be negotiating; that in the mean time the most valuable Furniture and other things in the Houles and Cloysters that are most expos'd to the Fire of the Castle were remov'd; that 10000 Imperialists were encamp'd before the Castle, with 30 Cannon, several Mortars, and great Stores of Ammunition; but that this Artillery not being sufficient for attacking the Place, they were waiting for more. Just now we have receiv'd Letters from Milan dated the 8th, which say, that the abovemention'd Treaty being broken off, they had begun to fire on both sides with Musquets, and that the Germans were getting all ready to lay formal Siege to the Castle forthwith.

Ratisbon, Feb. 10. On Friday last an Express from the Margrave of Bareith brought Letters to his Minister residing here, for the Diet of the Empire; wherein he gave them an Account of the Condition in which he had found the Army on the Upper-Rhine, as also the Posts and Places of Strength on that River; namely in too bad a one to be able to make Head against the great Power of the Enemy. This Express brought Advice likewise, that the said Margrave being return'd to Christian Erlangen, had receiv'd there from the Emperor full Power to command in Chief the Army of the Empire, and had immediately taken that Command upon him. The 8th Instant the Minister of Mentz call'd an Assembly together extraordinarilly and communicated to them that he had receiv'd News from good Hands in Strasbourg, that the French were drawing together near Molzheim in Alsace; that they waited for 40 Squadrons and 22 Battallions more from Burgundy; that the Marshal de Villars was expect there Hourly; that a very great Number of Waggon and Carts were provided there, but were not loaded; and that the Enemy gave out they would forthwith attack Landau.

Vienna, Jan. 9. The Margrave of Bareith has return'd the Emperour Thanks for conferring on him the Command of the Army on the Upper-Rhine; 'tis talk'd Prince Eugene will be joyn'd in Commission with him, but that his Highnes will not come hither before he has reduc'd the Castle of Milan.

Francfort, Feb. 16. The Enemy have made a great Magazine at Weysenbourg, and fire on our Workmen who are building a Fort at Steynmuer above Lauterbourg. The 14th some of our Troops began to move, and the Forces of Hesse Darmstad both Horse and Foot which were quarter'd about Giesen, are also in Motion. 'Tis reported that Mr. Stepney, Envoy of England, has prevail'd with the Landgrave of Hesse Cassel to let his Troops continue in Italy.

Hildefseim, Feb. 15. 'Tis advis'd, that M. Printz, Envoy from the King of Prussia, who is come agen to Leiplick, has Order to congratulate King Stan-

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titus in the Name of the King his Master on his Accession to the Crown of Poland; as also to make some Overtures to the King of Sweden concerning a Peace with the Czar of Muscovy: The Swedes continue to give out, that they will not attempt any thing to the prejudice of the High Allies.

Dresden, Feb. 16. 'Tis talk'd that in a few Days the Princess Ragotski is to set out for Dantzick; and we hear from Leipzick that it was rumour'd there 6000 Swedes had Orders to draw together this Night near Guben, thence to march to Great Poland. Letters from Lemberg say the Czar of Muscovy had been there, and had declar'd to the Senators he found there, that he judg'd it necessary to remove the great Council that was summon'd to meet there, to Warsaw, which Place lies more commodiously for covering several Polish Provinces and Lithuania; and that for the greater Security of the Assembly he had order'd a Body of 10000 Muscovites to draw to and quarter about Warsaw; that he offer'd to advance to the Republick 2 or 3 Millions, insisted much upon a new Election, and return'd from Lemberg to Zolkiew.

At the Theatre Royal in Drury-Lane, to Morrow being Saturday, the 15th of February, will be perform'd the Opera o^r Camilla, being the last time of performing it till after Easter. And on Thursday next, being the 20th of February, will be presented a Comedy, call'd, The Recruiting Officer. For the Entertainment of several Persons of Quality, and General Officers of the Army. With Italian Musick, Songs, Dialogues, Dances and other Interludes, by the best Performers of all Kinds. For the Benefit of Sergeant Kite, the Part of which is play'd by Mr. Estcourt.

By her Majesty's Company of Comedians.

At the Queen's Theatre in the Hay-Market, this present Friday, being the 14th of February, will be presented a Comedy, call'd, The Royal Merchant, or, Beggars-Bush. Written by Beaumont and Fletcher. The parts of Woolfert by Mr. Booth, Gerrard by Mr. Keen, Hubert by Mr. Mills, Flore by Mr. Wilks, Hemskirk by Mr. Husbands, Van-Dunck by Mr. Bullock, Orater Higgen by Mr. Fairbank, Prig by Mr. Norris, Snap by Mr. Kent, Jeckline by Mrs. Bicknel, Bertha by Mrs. Bradshaw. Add to Morrow (at the desire of several Ladies of Quality) will be Reviv'd a Play, call'd, King Henry the 8th. with the fall of Cardinal Woolsey. And on Tuesday next will be Reviv'd the History and Fall of Caius Marius. For the benefit of Mr. Wilks.

These Plays are Sold by J. Knapton at the Crown in St. Paul's Church-yard, and B. Linton next Nando's Coffee-House, Temple-Bar.

An Entertainment by Mr. CLINCH of BARNE T, who imitates the Flute, Double Curtell, the Organ with 3 Voices, the Horn, Huntsman and Pack of Hounds, the Sham Doctor, the Old Woman, the Drunken Man, the Bells: All Instruments are perform'd by his natural Voice. To be seen this present Evening at 7 o'Clock at the Rose Tavern in the Poultry. Price 1 s.

Whereas a Paper Book of Accompts, containing about Five Sheets in Folio, and covered with Red Marble Paper, was Dropped on Tuesday the 11th Instant, about 6 at Night, betwixt Ludgate-hill and the Registers Office in Chancery-Lane, or betwixt thence and Miter-Court in Fleetstreet, and of no use to any but the Owner. Whoever has found the same and will bring it to Mr. Whitfeld at his Seat in the Six Clerks Office, shall receive the Reward of 10 s.

A Note under the Hand of George Cradock for his Master Mr. Wm Parker and Chambers, dated January the 27th, payable to Mr. John Hooke, or bearer, for 360 l. indors'd off 10 l. the 29th of January. If any such Note comes to your Hands, you are desir'd not to take it in Payment, but to give notice to the said Mr. Wm Parker and Chambers Goldsmiths at the 3 Squirts in Fleetstreet, or to John Allen Broker at Jonathan's Coffee-house in Exchange-Alley, and you shall have a Guinea Reward.

Lost the 13th Instant, at 3 o'Clock in the Afternoon, between Mercers-hall and Woodstreet, a small Paper Parcel, in it 40 or 50 Paper Prints or Patterns for Calico, of no use to any but the Owner. If any will bring or send them to Mr. Samuel Clyatt's at the Rose and Crown against Bow-Church in Cheapside, shall have 5 s. Reward.

The Mathematick Lecture at the Marine Coffee-House in Birch Lane will begin to Day, at 7 in the Evening; where Geometry will be Read and Taught on Fridays, and Spherick Projection and Trigonometry on Tuesdays, at the usual Hours. The Books read there are sold by D. Midwinter at the Rose and Crown in St. Paul's Church-yard.

On Monday next the 17th Instant, at 5 in the Evening, will begin the Sale by Auction (at Tom's Coffee-house adjoining to Ludgate) of the Libraries of a late learned Nobleman and an eminent Lawyer, deceas'd; containing variety of many scarce and excellent Greek, Latin, Italian, French and English Books in all Faculties and all Volumes; whereof several are gilt and letter'd on the back. Catalogues may be had at 4 d. a piece this Day at Mr. Barnes in the Pall-Mall, Mr. Helmes in Westminster-Hall, Mr. Brown without Temple-Bar, Mr. Knapton in St. Paul's Church-yard, Mr. Tho. Ballard in Little-Britain; and Mr. Strahan over against the Royal Exchange, Booksellers, and at the Place of Sale. The Books may be inspected 3 Days before the Sale begins.

This present Friday P. VaFenn will continue his Auction of Greek, Latin, French, Italian, Spanish and English Books, at Powell's Coffee-House near Strand-Bridge by the May-Pole in the Strand, beginning at Five o'Clock. Catalogues are Sold for Six Pence by C. King at the Judge's-head in Westminster-Hall, Edw. Castle at Scotland-yard-gate near Whitehall, P. Varenn at Seneca's head near Somerset House, in the Strand, M. Wotton at the 3 Daggers near the Temple-gate, J. Knapton at the Crown in St. Paul's Church-yard, S. Crouch at the corner of Pope's-Head-Ally in Cornhill, and at the Place of Sale. There will be no selling to Morrow.

A very good Organ, fit for a Parlor or small Chapel, and also a Harpsicord, to be Sold at Reasonable Rates, at Mr. John Sammon's an Upholsterer in Church-Court near St. Martin's Church in the Strand.

Norwithstanding divers Plasters, &c. are publish'd pretending a Cure for Corns, which are generally made to imitate that noble and effectual Plaster (publish'd by the first Author) which not only presently removeth the Anguish thereof, but likewise deadneth them to the root, insensibly and safely; being distinguish'd with a Seal, having this Motto, Art finds means. To be had only of Mr. Scampton at the Angel in Cornhill over against the Mermaid Tavern, at Mr. Osborn's at the Rose and Crown under St. Dunstan's Church in Fleet-street, and at Mr. Girard's at the three Flower-de-Luces near Northumberland House in the Strand, Toy-shops, at 1 s. per Box, seal'd up with Directions.

London Fucus for Shoos; being an unparalleled Composition of the most pure and rich Blacks, choice Oils, &c. and is a thing so adapted to the Use, that the World never yet produc'd the like Invention, having gain'd a general Applause, causing the straitest Shoos to wear with delight and ease; beautifies them to admiration, preserves the Leather from cracking or rotting to the very last, and frees the Feet of all Pains, Corns, swellings, &c. Sold only at the 7 Stars under St. Dunstan's Church in Fleet-street, and at the Perfumers in the little Entry out of Castle Alley into the Royal Exchange. Price 12 d. a Roll. Note, one Roll serves one Person near half a Year. Beware of that late Counterfeit fally call'd Paris Fucus.

The Great German Spirit for Deafness, Thickness of Hearing, Noise or Pain in the Ears, &c. a few drops of which drop warm into the Ears every night and morning, cures to admiration. With this Spirit a certain Nobleman cured several that were born deaf; For it being of a volatile and congenious Nature prevades or enters into the Membrane of the Tympanum or Drum of the Ears, and removes all the Impediments or Obstructions thereof; being a Medicine powerful, safe and easy, fails never, if curable, and many times cures those that have been deem'd incurable, after Syringing, Fuming and the use of all other external as well as internal Applications. Is sold at 1 s. 6 d. the Bottle, at Mr. Spooner's at the Golden Half-Moon in Bucklersbury in Goodman's Fields near White-Chaple.

This Day is publish'd,

A New, Plain, and Compleat Italian Grammar; by which the Perfection of the Italian Tongue may be attained in a very short Time. Dedicated to the worthy English Gentlemen, Merchants at Leghorne. By Henry Pleunius Master of Languages. Printed at Leghorne by James Valsili Printer to the Great Duke of Tuscany, and are to be Sold by Sam. Crouch, at the Corner of Pope's-Head-Alley in Cornhill London.

Just Publish'd,

The Merchant's Magazine, or, Tradesman's Treasury; treating of Arithmetick, Merchant's Accounts, Book-keeping, Maxims about Bills of Exchange, Factors, and Factorage, an Account of the Commodities produc'd by all Countries, Precedents of Merchants Writings, &c. The 6th Edition. By E. Harton, Gent. Printed for Chr. Coningsby at the Ink-Bottle near St. Dunstan's Church in Fleet-street, and D. Midwinter at the Rose and Crown in St. Paul's Church-yard.

Just publish'd,

A Philippick Oration to incite the English against the French, but especially to prevent the treatyng of a Peace with them too soon after they are beaten. Offer'd to the Privy Council of England in the Year of Christ 1514. By an Uncertain Author, who was not for Paring the Nails, but quite plucking out the Claws of the French. Now first publish'd, and illustrated with a Preliminary Discourse and Annotations. By Mr. John Toland. Printed for John Chantry at the Sign of Lincolns-Inn-Square at Lincolns-Inn back Gate, and Egbert Sanger at the Post-House at the Middle-Temple-Gate in Fleet-street.

A Sermon Preach'd in the City of York December 31. 1706. Being the Day of Thanksgiving appointed by her Majesty, for rendering out most hearty Thanks to Almighty God, for the great and wonderful Successes vouchsaf'd this Year to the Arms of her Majesty and her Allies, &c. By T. Colton, Minister of the Gospel. Printed at York, for Francis Hildyord, and Sold by J. Robinson at the Golden Lyon in St. Paul's Church-yard, and B. Bragg in Pater-Noster-Row London.

The Third Edition of the Recruiting Officer, a Comedy; written by Mr. Farquhar. Rapin of Gardens, a Latin Poem, English'd by J. Gardiner, M. A. and Fellow of Jesus College in Cambridge. Both Printed for Bernard Lintott at the Croft-Keys next Nando's Coffee-House by Temple-Bar.

The Plain Man's Duty in every Condition of Life, distinctly and plainly consider'd and recommended, with particular Directions for the due receiving of the Holy Sacrament. Chiefly design'd for the use of Tradesmen and Country People. Oxford, Printed and sold by J. Knapton at the Crown in St. Paul's Church-yard, price 6 d. where may be had Mr. Miles against Dodwell, in 8vo.

Anglia Notitia; or, The Present State of England, with divers Remarks upon the Ancient State thereof. By Edw. Chamberlaine, L.L.D. and continued by his Son John Chamberlaine, Esq; Fellow of the Royal Society. The 2nd Edition, with Improvements, and more exact and larger Additions in the Lists of the Officers, &c. than in any former Impression. In three Parts. Printed for D. Midwinter at the Rose and Crown in St. Paul's Church-yard.